



## Johnnie Ballew

*January 10, 1924 - May 24, 2011*

Johnnie Ballew, age 87, of McKinney, Texas passed away May 24, 2011. She was born January 10, 1924 in Allen, Oklahoma to Bertie Alice (McKenzie) Pope and James Stanford Pope. She was a loving wife to Lester Everett Ballew, whom she married on July 24, 1946 in Van Alstyne, Texas. Johnnie worked at both Haggar Pant Factory and McKinney Dress Factory for many years. Johnnie was a faithful member of Community North Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband, Lester Ballew of McKinney, Texas; sister, Anne Brown and husband, Lon of McKinney, Texas and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Bertie and James Stanford Pope; brother, Mac Henry Pope and two sisters, Louise Hale and Marie Gaither. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Friday, May 27, 2011, at Turrentine-Jackson-Morrow Chapel in Allen, Texas with Dr. Bruce Austin and Rev. Rocky Pope officiating. Interment will follow at Ridgeview Memorial Park in Allen. The family will receive friends during a visitation beginning at 6:00 p.m., Thursday evening at the funeral home. Family and friends are invited to the funeral home at their convenience on Thursday to pay their respects and to sign the register book. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Community North Baptist Building Fund.

## Memorials

*Lester, I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that you're in my thoughts and prayers.*

**DENICE BURNSIDE WEBB, MAY 26, 2011**

*I worked with Johnnie. She was a beautiful lady inside and out. May you be blessed with alot of strength at this time.*

~DIANE ELDER~ KEE~, MAY 26, 2011

*Our love to all of the family members and freinds of Johnnie. We are sorry we are unable to be with you at this time. Our Love and Blessings be with all of you during this time. Bill & Toni Pope*

WILLIAM B. & TONI POPE, MAY 26, 2011

*I had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Ballew as the PT with Goodwin Home health Care. She had such a delightful spirit even when she was not feeling well. Always impeccably dressed and gracious. I feel lucky to have known her even if it was a short time. God Bless Mr. Ballew*

LIZ THOMPSON, MAY 25, 2011

*Lester I send my deepest sympathy and love to you and your family. Her beauty and love will surely be missed. I pray that the Lord wraps his arms around you at this heavenly time and just know that she is in the best of hands. I hope she didn't suffer and know that she is preparing a new home for you both. I still have your photo's she gave me that I will treasure always. Take care dear friend and God Bless.*

KAREN & MICHAEL REED, MAY 25, 2011

*I am so sorry to hear about Mrs. Ballew's passing. She was such a sweet lady. We were neighbors for many years, and I always enjoyed her friendly wave and smile. May God bless and comfort you.*

JACQUE POSTON WADDELL, MAY 25, 2011

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